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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Waldmann, T.

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Serial No. : 08/478,748

Examiner: P. Gambel

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For : METHOD FOR TREATING MALIGNANCY AND AUTOIMMUNE  
DISORDERS IN HUMANS USING ANTI-TAC ANTIBODIES

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed on November 28, 2000, applicants present the following amendment and remarks.

**REMARKS**

Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration in view of the herewith presented amendments and remarks. The amendment does not raise any new issues of patentability. Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested. It is believed that entry of the amendment places the application into condition for allowance. If the Examiner decides to maintain the rejection of this application, entry of the amendment will reduce the number of issues remaining for appeal.

Claim 27 is currently pending.